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**¶1.** (SBU) Poloff delivered reftel demarche to Judith Gough, Head of Security Policy Group at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO), and Rhydian Phillips, Deputy Head of CBRN Security at the FCO, on January 21. In a follow-up meeting on January 29, Phillips said that the UK shared the U.S. concern that some would confuse the respective goals of the Nuclear Security Summit and the Nuclear Non-proliferation Treaty Review Conference (NPT RevCon). Phillips thanked the U.S. for providing the talking points and said that the UK was distributing them to key missions so that UK representatives could discuss the differences between the NSS and the NPT RevCon with host governments.

**¶2.** (SBU) Phillips said that the UK was engaging with a "majority" of countries involved in the NSS to emphasize the importance of the Summit and to distinguish the Summit from the NPT RevCon. Phillips said that the UK would continue to work with the U.S. on the NSS Communique and Work Plan in upcoming sherpa meetings.

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